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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

44 CFR Part 65

Docket ID FEMA-2012-0003

Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: Modified Base (1% annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) are finalized for the communities listed below. These modified BFEs will be used to calculate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and their contents.

DATES: The effective dates for these modified BFEs are indicated on the following table and revise the Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) in effect for the listed communities prior to this date.

ADDRESSES: The modified BFEs for each community are available for inspection at the office of the Chief Executive Officer of each community. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) makes the final determinations listed below of the modified BFEs for each community listed. These modified BFEs have been published in newspapers of local circulation and ninety (90) days have elapsed since that publication. The Deputy Associate Administrator for Mitigation has resolved any appeals resulting from this notification.

The modified BFEs are not listed for each community in this notice. However, this final rule includes the address of the Chief Executive Officer of the community where the modified BFE determinations are available for inspection.

The modified BFEs are made pursuant to section 206 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105, and are in accordance with the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4001 et seq., and with 44 CFR part 65.

For rating purposes, the currently effective community number is shown and must be used for all new policies and renewals.

The modified BFEs are the basis for the floodplain management measures that the community is required either to adopt or to show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or to remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

These modified BFEs, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter

requirements of its own or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities.

These modified BFEs are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and also are used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after these elevations are made final, and for the contents in those buildings. The changes in BFEs are in accordance with 44 CFR 65.4.

National Environmental Policy Act. This final rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. An environmental impact assessment has not been prepared.

Regulatory Flexibility Act. As flood elevation determinations are not within the scope of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601-612, a regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

Regulatory Classification. This final rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 of September 30, 1993, Regulatory Planning and Review, 58 FR 51735.

Executive Order 13132, Federalism. This final rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order 13132, Federalism.

Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform. This final rule meets the applicable standards of Executive Order 12988.

List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 65

Flood insurance, Floodplains, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 44 CFR part 65 is amended to read as follows:

PART 65—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 65 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 4001 et seq.; Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp., p. 329; E.O. 12127, 44 FR 19367, 3 CFR, 1979 Comp., p.376.

§ 65.4 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of § 65.4 are amended as follows:

State and county	Location and case No.	Date and name of newspaper where notice was published	Chief executive officer of community	Effective date of modification	Community No.
Alabama: Baldwin (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Gulf Shores (11-04-5389P)	October 7, 2011 October 14, 2011 <u><i>The Islander</i></u>	The Honorable Robert S. Craft Mayor, City of Gulf Shores 1905 West 1st Street Gulf Shores, AL 36547	September 29, 2011	015005
Alabama: Baldwin (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Gulf Shores (11-04-6730P)	October 11, 2011 October 18, 2011 <u><i>The Islander</i></u>	The Honorable Robert S. Craft Mayor, City of Gulf Shores 1905 West 1st Street Gulf Shores, AL 36547	October 4, 2011	015005
Alabama: Madison (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Huntsville (11-04-3252P)	September 8, 2011 September 15, 2011 <u><i>The Huntsville Times</i></u>	The Honorable Tommy Battle Mayor, City of Huntsville 308 Fountain Circle, 8th Floor Huntsville, AL 35801	January 13, 2012	010153
Alabama: Tuscaloosa (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Town of Coaling (11-04-2431P)	September 8, 2011 September 15, 2011 <u><i>The Tuscaloosa News</i></u>	The Honorable Charles Foster Mayor, Town of Coaling 11281 Stephens Loop Coaling, AL 35453	January 13, 2012	010480
Alabama: Tuscaloosa (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Tuscaloosa County (11-04-2431P)	September 8, 2011 September 15, 2011 <u><i>The Tuscaloosa News</i></u>	The Honorable W. Hardy McCollum Probate Judge, Tuscaloosa County Commission 714 Greensboro Avenue Tuscaloosa, AL 35401	January 13, 2012	010201
Arizona: Pima (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Pima County (11-09-0275P)	September 20, 2011 September 27, 2011 <u><i>The Daily Territorial</i></u>	The Honorable Ramon Valadez Chairman, Pima County Board of Supervisors 130 West Congress Street, 11th Floor Tucson, AZ 85701	January 25, 2012	040073
Arkansas: Benton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	City of Bentonville (11-06-1914P)	August 30, 2011 September 6, 2011 <u><i>The Benton County Daily Record</i></u>	The Honorable Bob McCaslin Mayor, City of Bentonville 117 West Central Avenue Bentonville, AR 72712	January 4, 2012	050012

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Arkansas: Benton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Unincorporated areas of Benton County (11-06-1914P)	August 30, 2011 September 6, 2011 <u><i>The Benton County Daily Record</i></u>	The Honorable Robert Clinard Benton County Judge 215 East Central Avenue Bentonville, AR 72712	January 4, 2012	050419
California: Yuba (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Yuba County (11-09-0045P)	August 25, 2011 September 1, 2011 <u><i>The Appeal-Democrat</i></u>	The Honorable Roger Abe Chairman, Yuba County Board of Supervisors 915 8th Street, Suite 109 Marysville, CA 95901	December 30, 2011	060427
Colorado: Douglas (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Town of Castle Rock (11-08-0329P)	September 8, 2011 September 15, 2011 <u><i>The Douglas County News-Press</i></u>	The Honorable Paul Donahue Mayor, Town of Castle Rock 100 North Wilcox Street Castle Rock, CO 80104	January 13, 2012	080050
Colorado: Douglas (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Douglas County (11-08-0329P)	September 8, 2011 September 15, 2011 <u><i>The Douglas County News-Press</i></u>	The Honorable Jill E. Repella Chair, Douglas County Board of Commissioners 100 3rd Street Castle Rock, CO 80104	January 13, 2012	080049
Florida: Broward (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Deerfield Beach (11-04-7254P)	October 6, 2011 October 13, 2011 <u><i>The Sun-Sentinel</i></u>	The Honorable Peggy Noland Mayor, City of Deerfield Beach 150 Northeast 2nd Avenue Deerfield Beach, FL 33441	September 29, 2011	125101
Florida: Monroe (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Monroe County (11-04-5095P)	September 28, 2011 October 5, 2011 <u><i>The Key West Citizen</i></u>	The Honorable Heather Carruthers Mayor, Monroe County 530 Whitehead Street Key West, FL 33040	February 2, 2012	125129
Florida: Orange (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Orlando (11-04-5608P)	September 29, 2011 October 6, 2011 <u><i>The Orlando Weekly</i></u>	The Honorable Buddy Dyer Mayor, City of Orlando 400 South Orange Avenue, 3rd Floor Orlando, FL 32808	September 20, 2011	120186

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Florida: Pinellas (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Gulfport (10-04-7908P)	September 15, 2011 September 22, 2011 <u><i>The St. Petersburg Times</i></u>	The Honorable Mike Yakes Mayor, City of Gulfport 2401 53rd Street Gulfport, FL 33707	January 20, 2012	125108
Florida: Pinellas (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	Unincorporated areas of Pinellas County (10-04-7908P)	September 15, 2011 September 22, 2011 <u><i>The St. Petersburg Times</i></u>	The Honorable Susan Latvala Chair, Pinellas County Board of Supervisors 315 Court Street Clearwater, FL 33756	January 20, 2012	125139
Georgia: Liberty (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	City of Hinesville (11-04-0768P)	September 30, 2011 October 7, 2011 <u><i>The Coastal Courier</i></u>	The Honorable James Thomas, Jr. Mayor, City of Hinesville 115 East Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive Hinesville, GA 31313	September 26, 2011	130125
Georgia: Liberty (FEMA Docket No.: B-1235)	Unincorporated areas of Liberty County (11-04-0768P)	September 30, 2011 October 7, 2011 <u><i>The Coastal Courier</i></u>	The Honorable John D. McIver Chairman, Liberty County Board of Commissioners 112 North Main Street Hinesville, GA 31310	September 26, 2011	130123
Maryland: Washington (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Washington County (10-03-2211P)	June 3, 2011 June 10, 2011 <u><i>The Herald-Mail</i></u>	The Honorable Terry L. Baker President, Washington County Board of Commissioners 100 West Washington Street, Room 226 Hagerstown, MD 21740	October 10, 2011	240070
Nevada: Clark (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Las Vegas (11-09-0799P)	September 1, 2011 September 8, 2011 <u><i>The Las Vegas Review-Journal</i></u>	The Honorable Oscar B. Goodman Mayor, City of Las Vegas 400 Stewart Avenue, 10th Floor Las Vegas, NV 89101	January 6, 2012	325276
Nevada: Clark (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of North Las Vegas (11-09-0799P)	September 1, 2011 September 8, 2011 <u><i>The Las Vegas Review-Journal</i></u>	The Honorable Shari L. Buck Mayor, City of North Las Vegas 2200 Civic Center Drive North Las Vegas, NV 89030	January 6, 2012	320007

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New Jersey: Bergen (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Township of Mahwah (11-02-0617P)	February 7, 2011 February 14, 2011 <u><i>The Record</i></u>	The Honorable William C. Laforet Mayor, Township of Mahwah 475 Corporate Drive Mahwah, NJ 07430	June 14, 2011	340049
New Jersey: Bergen (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Borough of Ramsey (11-02-0617P)	February 7, 2011 February 14, 2011 <u><i>The Record</i></u>	The Honorable Christopher C. Botta Mayor, Borough of Ramsey 33 North Central Avenue Ramsey, NJ 07446	June 14, 2011	340064
New Jersey: Middlesex (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Township of Cranbury (10-02-0830P)	September 16, 2011 September 23, 2011 <u><i>The Cranbury Press</i></u>	The Honorable David J. Stout Mayor, Township of Cranbury 23-A North Main Street Cranbury, NJ 08512	December 8, 2010	340258
New York: Dutchess (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Town of East Fishkill (10-02-0092P)	February 23, 2011 March 2, 2011 <u><i>The Poughkeepsie Journal</i></u>	The Honorable John J. Hickman, Jr. Supervisor, Town of East Fishkill 330 State Route 376 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533	August 16, 2011	361336
Pennsylvania: Adams (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Township of Franklin (11-03-0400P)	July 19, 2011 July 26, 2011 <u><i>The Gettysburg Times</i></u>	The Honorable Daniel Fetter Chairman, Township of Franklin Board of Supervisors 55 Scott School Road Cashtown, PA 17310	November 23, 2011	421250
Pennsylvania: Delaware (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Township of Haverford (11-03-1170P)	August 3, 2011 August 10, 2011 <u><i>The Daily Times</i></u>	The Honorable William F. Wechsler President, Township of Haverford Board of Commissioners 2325 Darby Road Havertown, PA 19083	December 8, 2011	420417
Pennsylvania: Lycoming (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Township of Muncy (10-03-0172P)	February 23, 2011 March 2, 2011 <u><i>The Williamsport Sun-Gazette</i></u>	The Honorable Paul Wentzler Chairman, Township of Muncy Board of Supervisors 1922 Pond Road Pennsdale, PA 17756	June 30, 2011	421847

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Pennsylvania: Montgomery (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Township of Lower Merion (10-03-0696P)	September 15, 2011 September 22, 2011 <u><i>The Main Line Times</i></u>	The Honorable Elizabeth S. Rogan President, Township of Lower Merion Board of Commissioners 75 East Lancaster Avenue Ardmore, PA 19003	December 30, 2010	420701
Puerto Rico: Puerto Rico (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (10-02-1774P)	August 9, 2011 August 16, 2011 <u><i>El Nuevo Dia</i></u>	The Honorable Luis G. Fortuno Governor, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Calle Fortaleza #63 San Juan, PR 00901	August 2, 2011	720000
Texas: Bexar (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	City of Selma (11-06-0764P)	August 11, 2011 August 18, 2011 <u><i>The Daily Commercial Recorder</i></u>	The Honorable Tom Daly Mayor, City of Selma 9375 Corporate Drive Selma, TX 78154	December 16, 2011	480046
Texas: Collin (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	City of Wylie (11-06-0830P)	August 24, 2011 August 31, 2011 <u><i>The Wylie News</i></u>	The Honorable Eric Hogue Mayor, City of Wylie 300 Country Club Road, Building 100 Wylie, TX 75098	December 29, 2011	480759
Texas: Denton (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	City of Lewisville (11-06-3720P)	August 10, 2011 August 17, 2011 <u><i>The Lewisville Leader</i></u>	The Honorable Dean Ueckert Mayor, City of Lewisville 151 West Church Street Lewisville, TX 75029	December 15, 2011	480195
Texas: El Paso (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	City of El Paso (11-06-2150P)	August 11, 2011 August 18, 2011 <u><i>The El Paso Times</i></u>	The Honorable John F. Cook Mayor, City of El Paso 2 Civic Center Plaza, 10th Floor El Paso, TX 79901	August 4, 2011	480214
Texas: Kendall (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	City of Boerne (10-06-3371P)	August 12, 2011 August 19, 2011 <u><i>The Boerne Star</i></u>	The Honorable Mike Schultz Mayor, City of Boerne 402 East Blanco Road Boerne, TX 78006	December 19, 2011	480418
Texas: Kendall (FEMA Docket No.: B-1228)	Unincorporated areas of Kendall County (10-06-3371P)	August 12, 2011 August 19, 2011 <u><i>The Boerne Star</i></u>	The Honorable Gaylan Schroeder Kendall County Judge 201 East San Antonio Street, Suite 120 Boerne, TX 78006	December 19, 2011	480417

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Texas: Montgomery (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Montgomery (10-06-1397P)	October 4, 2011 October 11, 2011 <u><i>The Conroe Courier</i></u>	The Honorable John Fox Mayor, City of Montgomery 101 Old Plantersville Road Montgomery, TX 77356	October 27, 2011	481483
Texas: Tarrant (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	City of Arlington (10-06-3286P)	September 15, 2011 September 22, 2011 <u><i>The Fort Worth Star-Telegram</i></u>	The Honorable Dr. Robert N. Cluck Mayor, City of Arlington 101 West Abram Street Arlington, TX 76010	January 20, 2012	485454
Texas: Travis (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	Unincorporated areas of Travis County (11-06-0223P)	August 11, 2011 August 18, 2011 <u><i>The Austin American-Statesman</i></u>	The Honorable Samuel T. Biscoe Travis County Judge 314 West 11th Street, Suite 520 Austin, TX 78701	August 4, 2011	481026
Texas: Williamson (FEMA Docket No.: B-1225)	City of Georgetown (11-06-2998P)	August 17, 2011 August 24, 2011 <u><i>The Williamson County Sun</i></u>	The Honorable George Garver Mayor, City of Georgetown 113 East 8th Street Georgetown, TX 78626	December 22, 2011	480668
Virginia: Loudoun (FEMA Docket No.: B-1234)	Unincorporated areas of Loudoun County (10-03-0387P)	October 27, 2010 November 3, 2010 <u><i>The Loudoun Times-Mirror</i></u>	The Honorable Scott K. York Chairman at Large, Loudoun County Board of Supervisors 1 Harrison Street Southeast, 5th Floor Leesburg, VA 20177	October 19, 2010	510090
Wyoming: Fremont (FEMA Docket No.: B-1231)	City of Lander (11-08-0099P)	September 11, 2011 September 18, 2011 <u><i>The Lander Journal</i></u>	The Honorable Mick Wolfe Mayor, City of Lander 240 Lincoln Street Lander, WY 82520	January 16, 2012	560020

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